



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT(S) : Vanden Heuvel, et al.
SERIAL NO. : 09/555,987
FILED : September 11, 2000
FOR : Methods and Compositions for Treating Diabetes
GROUP ART UNIT : 1617
EXAMINER : Sang Ming Hui

GP1617
#RECEIVED
NOV 27 2002
TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

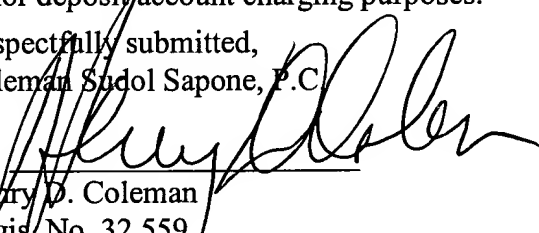
#22
010998
12-21-02

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

S I R:

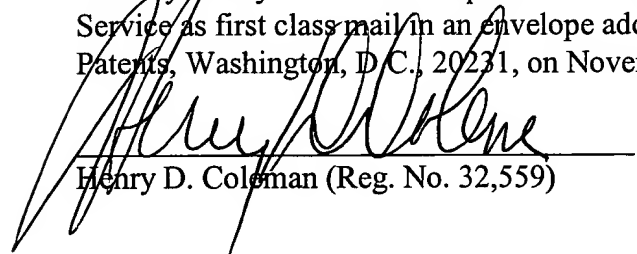
Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time for filing a response to the outstanding office action of July 30, 2002, for which a three-month response period ending October 30, 2002 was set. The extended deadline is November 30, 2002. The amount of fifty-five (\$55.00) is enclosed. A small entity verification form has been previously filed in the application. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due in connection with this communication, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 04-0838. A copy of this Request is enclosed for deposit/account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,
Coleman Sudol Sapone, P.C.

By: 
Henry D. Coleman
Regis. No. 32,559
714 Colorado Avenue
Bridgeport, Connecticut 06605-1601
(203) 366-3560

Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C., 20231, on November 21, 2002.


Henry D. Coleman (Reg. No. 32,559)

11/26/2002 NMOHAMM1 00000150 09555987

01 FC:2251

55.00 0P